Mr. James Simpson : It is rather difficult to answer that. Dr. John is an M. R. C. P. of Edinburough. It is a matter of opinion whether the degree is better than the F. R. C. S. It is generally admitted in England that the F. R. C. S. of England is better than the M. R. C. P. of Edinburough.

Mr. E. P. Varghese (*Nominated*) : May I know how many persons there are in our medical service possessing the F. R. C. S. (England,) Diploma ?

Mr. James Simpson : One.

Mr. E. P. Varghese : May I know where he is employed?

Mr. James Simpson : He is employed in the General Hospital.

Mr. K. P. Nilakanta Pillai : May I know how the F. R. C. S. and the M. R. C. P. compare ?

Mr. James Simpson : It is a matter of opinion: It is difficult to decide which is superior.

Mr. K. P. Nilakanta Pillai : With reference to part (*c*) may I know how many patients could be treated scientifically by one doctor ?

Mr. James Simpson : It all depends upon the number of assistants he has.

Mr. K. P. Nilakanta Pillai : Including the assistants and volunteers, how many patients could be put under the charge of one doctor ?

Mr. James Simpson : I can say from my own experience that a doctor can treat 120 patients. I have already had that number.

Mr. M. N Paramesvaran Pillai : May I know whether the 30th of Medam 1110 has become a memorable day ?

Mr. James Simpson : I do not know.

Appointments made in the Anchal Department during the last 18 months.

96. ***Mr. Tariatu Kunjitomman** (*Nominated*) : Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a statement, by caste, of appointments made in the Anchal Department during the 18 months ending the 1st Medam last ?

Rao Sahib Dr. N. Kunjan Pillai : *A statement is laid on the table.

Statement, by communities, of officers in the Registration Department.

97. ***Mr. Tariatu Kunjitomman :** Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a statement showing the number of Syrian Catholics, Latin Catholics and members of other communities in offices carrying a pay of Rs. 75 and over in the Registration Department ?

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Syrian Catholics	...	...	3
Latin Catholics	...	...	Nil
Other communities	...	...	67

Enquiries re complaints against Mr. E. T. Kuriyan.

98. ✱**Mr. P. Padmanabhan Tampi** (*Kalkulam* cum *Vilavankod*) : Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) whether the High Court received complaints against Mr. E. T. Kuriyan when he was District Munsiff and First Class Magistrate, Devicolam ;

(*b*) whether one of the Judges of the High Court made enquiries and placed the facts before the High Court ;

(*c*) whether a Full Bench was held and passed orders ;

(*d*) whether the judge who made the enquiry was present when the order was passed by the Full Bench ;

(*e*) whether the order passed by the Full Bench was forwarded to Government ;

(*f*) whether the remarks made by the judge who made the enquiry were appended and forwarded ; and

(*g*) whether they will place on the table the remarks of that High Court Judge who made the enquiry ?

Rao Sahib Dr. N. Kunjan Pillai: (*a*) Yes.

(*b*) Yes. An enquiry was made by one of the Judges of the High Court in respect of one of the petitions.

(*c*) Yes.

(*d*) to (*g*) The report made by the judge, the orders passed by the High Court in relation thereto, and the names of the judges who took part in the disposal of the matter are all confidential.

Mr. P. Padmanabhan Tampi: May I know the nature of the enquiry conducted by the High Court Judge ?

Rao Sahib Dr. N. Kunjan Pillai: He went to the spot and made enquiries.

Mr. P. Padmanabhan Tampi: May I know the decision that was arrived at after that enquiry ?

Rao Sahib Dr. N. Kunjan Pillai: That is confidential.

Mr. M. N. Paramesvaran Pillai: Is it a fact that the judge who conducted the enquiry was absent on that particular day when the case was taken up for decision and that he wrote to say that the case might be taken up when he was also present ?

Rao Sahib Dr. N. Kunjan Pillai: I have already answered that the correspondence relating to this matter is confidential.

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